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TAGS: PINS, PINT, GW

SUBJECT: SECOND DAY OF VIOLENCE OVER TRANSIT FARE INCREASE

REF: FRANKFURT 3359

1. ALTHOUGH NUMBER OF DEMONSTRATORS MAY 28 REDUCED TO SOME TWO THOUSAND, ABOUT HALF AS MANY AS FIRST DAY, BOTH DEMONSTRATORS AND POLICE WERE MORE AGGRESSIVE IN SECOND DAY OF VIOLENCE IN CITY SHOPPING CENTER AGAINST TRANSIT FARE INCREASE. FIGHTING MORE SPORADIC AND SCATTERED, BUT SEVERAL INNOCENT PASSERS-BY, INCLUDING WOMEN AND CHILDREN, INJURED. STORES CLOSED EARLY TO MINIMIZE DAMAGE AND DISCOURAGE SHOPPERS. STREETCARS, TRACKS AND SWITCHES DAMAGED, AND TRAFFIC BROUGHT TO COMPLETE HALT AT INTERVALS. SIRENS HOWLED THROUGH CITY UNTIL NEARLY MIDNIGHT. AT LEAST FORTY PERSONS INJURED AND FIFTY-SIX ARRESTED, INCLUDING FORTY-ONE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL OF OCCUPIED HOUSES WHO DISTRIBUTED LEAFLETS CALLING FOR BARRICADES TO BE ERECTED ON TRAM LINES.

2. LOCAL CDU LEADERS HAVE ACCUSED DGB

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OFFICIALS OF INCITING WORKERS AGAINST FARE INCREASE

WHILE VOTING FOR NEW FARE AS SPD MEMBERS OF CITY  
PARLIAMENT. DGB AND DKP HAVE CONDEMNED INTERRUPTIONS  
TO PUBLIC TRANSPORT USED BY WORKERS AND DAMAGE TO  
MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AT COST OF TAXPAYERS.

3. APPEALS CIRCULATED AT UNIVERSITY FOR FURTHER  
DEMONSTRATIONS TODAY.HARLAN

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